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**From:** Corbett, Kate (DPH)  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 03, 2011 9:11 AM  
**To:** Papalardo, Brad (EAS)  
**Subject:** RE: [REDACTED]

Hi Brad,

[REDACTED] I may/may not be available on 3/3.. [REDACTED] Is there another chemist listed on the drug certificate? If so, the first chemist is the custodial chemist (they had custody of the drugs and performed preliminary testing on the substance) the second chemist is the confirmatory chemist and performed the GC/MS analysis on the sample. Either chemist would be able to testify to the results, it just comes down to your personal preference and what the judge will allow. I will put the case file together and email it to you by next week.

Thanks,

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**From:** Papalardo, Brad (EAS)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 01, 2011 1:47 PM  
**To:** Corbett, Kate (DPH)  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

Kate,

I'm prosecuting a case that you performed the drug certs on and I just wanted to write to you to see about your availability on 3/3/11 (I called today but you were not available [REDACTED]) This case has been marked no further continuances so if you are not available perhaps a substitute chemist could come in your place. With that said, we have offered a plea to the defendant that we expect could result in this case resolving short of trial but we would still need someone present (or on phone stand by) just incase it breaks down. Hopefully that date works for you. Finally, I'm sending you a case info request form to request your notes [REDACTED] from your analysis (if you could email them to me I'd be great).

Thank you for your time in this,  
Brad Papalardo